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In the matter of,)	Docket No. 14-IEP-1B
2014 Integrated Energy Policy Report Update (2014 IEPR Update))	WORKSHOP RE: Climate Change and
)	Transportation

Notice of Lead Commissioner Workshop on Climate Change Impacts on the Transportation System

The California Energy Commission Lead Commissioner on the Integrated Energy Policy Report will conduct a workshop to explore threats to the transportation network posed by climate change.

Commissioner Janea A. Scott, Chair Robert Weisenmiller, and Commissioner Douglas will be in attendance. Commissioner Scott is the Lead Commissioner for the *2014 IEPR Update* and the Lead Commissioner on Transportation. Other commissioners may attend and participate in the workshop.

The workshop will be held:

MAY 28, 2014

3:00 p.m.
CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
1516 Ninth Street
First Floor, Hearing Room A
Sacramento, California
(Wheelchair Accessible)

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Agenda

This workshop will discuss the latest findings on the vulnerability of California's transportation system to climate change and steps being taken to prepare for potential impacts.

Background

California's transportation system includes major freeways, rail corridors and ports. Climate change may impact all facets of the transportation system including roads, bridges, tunnels, rail, public transportation, air transport, the vehicles that use these facilities and the fuel networks they depend on.

Much of our infrastructure was constructed without consideration of the impacts of climate change. As climate impacts are felt in the coming years, the state's transportation network faces the threat of disruption. In particular, sea level rise and storm surge are expected to be significant issues for California with the potential for flooding of nearly 3,500 miles of roadways and 280 miles of rail lines and posing threats to ports and harbors as well as vital fuel infrastructure. Additionally, extreme heat events affect the infrastructure durability and fires and extreme storms can impact infrastructure and lead to delays.

Caltrans is leading state efforts to mitigate impacts to the transportation system. For more detail, see the draft <u>Safeguarding California</u> report.

Public Comment

Oral Comments. The IEPR Lead Commissioner will accept oral comments during the workshop. Comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker. Any comments will become part of the public record in this proceeding.

Written Comments. Written comments should be submitted to the Dockets Unit by **June 11, 2014**. Written comments will also be accepted at the workshop, however, the Energy Commission may not have time to review them before the conclusion of the workshop. All written comments will become part of the public record of this proceeding. Additionally, written comments may be posted to the Energy Commission's website for this proceeding.

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The service list for the 2014 IEPR Update is handled electronically. Notices and documents for this proceeding are posted to the Energy Commission website at www.energy.ca.gov/2014_energypolicy/index.html. When new information is posted, an e-mail will be sent to those on the energy policy e-mail list server. We encourage those who are interested in receiving these notices to sign up for the list server through the website at www.energy.ca.gov/listservers/index.html.

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